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FOR SEITZ

FOLLOWING REPEAT ADDIS ABABA 3495 ACTION SECSTATE  
INFO DAR ES SALAAM KHARTOUM NAIROBI MOGADISCIO  
DJIBOUTI ROME 10 AUG 8.

QUOTE: C O N F I D E N T I A L ADDIS ABABA 3495

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: EAID, ET, KE, SU, TZ, FAO  
SUBJ: CONTROL OF DESERT LOCUST

REF: A) STATE 200577; B) DAR ES SALAAM 3394

1. AMBASSADOR TOOK ADVANTAGE OF MEETING AUG 9 WITH FOREIGN  
MINISTER FELEKE TO PUT ACROSS POINTS REF A. AIDE MEMOIRE  
WAS LEFT STRESSING POINT THAT EFFECTIVENESS OF INTER-  
NATIONAL ASSISTANCE HINGES ON ABILITY OF GSDR AND PMGSE  
TO WORK OUT BASIS FOR DLCO/EA AND NATIONAL PROGRAMS TO  
OPERATE IN ETHIOPIA AND SOMALIA THIS MONTH.

2. WE ARE NOT EXACTLY SURE WHAT "TO WORK OUT" IS INTENDED  
TO MEAN. CHANCES OF BILATERAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN PMGSE AND  
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GSDR ARE VIRTUALLY NIL BECAUSE DEEP ROOTED POLITICAL  
ANIMOSITY EXACERBATED BY CONTINUING WAR IN OGADEN TRANS-  
CENDS ALL OTHER CONSIDERATIONS AT THIS POINT. ON OTHER  
HAND, DLCO/EA MAY BE ABLE TO WORK OUT MODUS OPERANDI WITH  
EACH GOVERNMENT IN AFFECTED AREA. IN ANY EVENT, DLCO/EA  
SHOULD BE OUT IN FRONT IN DISCUSSIONS WITH PMGSE WITH WHAT-  
EVER SUPPORT FROM US IT MIGHT FIND USEFUL. AMBASSADOR HAD

HOPED TO TAKE UP MATTER IMMEDIATELY WITH DLCO/EA DIRECTOR ADEFERIS BELLEHU, BUT LATTER WILL, WE UNDERSTAND, BE IN NAIROBI UNTIL WEDNESDAY, AUG 16. THERE IS NO ONE ELSE AT DLCO/EA IN ADDIS COMPETENT TO DISCUSS SUCH ADMINISTRATIVE QUESTIONS, SINCE ALL OTHERS IN SENIOR POSITIONS ARE TECHNICIANS. IT MIGHT, THEREFORE, BE APPROPRIATE FOR EMBASSY NAIROBI TO RAISE QUESTIONS OUTLINED REFTEL WITH ADEFERIS THERE.

3. QUESTIONS RAISED PARA 3 REFTEL B, WE FIND, ARE GOOD ONES AND ANSWERS WOULD BE USEFUL FOR OUR EFFORTS HERE WITH DLCO/EA AND PMGSE. WE NOTE FURTHER THAT NYERERE IS UNAVAILABLE FOR DISCUSSIONS SUGGESTED REFTEL A. HOWEVER, IF A POLITICAL IMPASSE DEVELOPS, NYERERE WOULD BE CHIEF OF STATE BEST PLACED TO BRING INFLUENCE TO BEAR ON MENGISTU AND THROUGH HIM ELEMENTS IN PMGSE WHOSE COOPERATION WILL BE ESSENTIAL. WE WILL ATTEMPT TO KEEP ADDRESSEES INFORMED OF PMGSE ATTITUDES.  
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